1 Adopt 2 Cal. Code Regs. Section 18530.8 to read:

2 18530.8 Personal Loans

- 3 **[Decision 1, option a]** [(a) Any personal loan made before January 1, 2001,
- 4 by a candidate for elective state office does not count toward the \$100,000 loan limit of
- 5 subdivision (b) of Government Code section 85307.]
- 6 **[Decision 1, option b]** [(a) Any personal loan made before January 1, 2001,
- 7 by a candidate for elective state office does count toward the \$100,000 loan limit of
- 8 <u>subdivision (b) of Government Code section 85307.</u>]
- 9 {Decision 1, option c}[(a) Any personal loan made before January 1, 2001,
- 10 by a candidate for elective state office to his or her committee organized for an election
- 11 to be held after January 1, 2001, is subject to the \$100,000 loan limit of subdivision (b)
- 12 of Government Code section 85307, to the extent that the candidate may not make any
- 13 additional personal loans to his or her campaign unless and until the loan balance is less
- 14 than \$100,000, and then any personal loans may only be in an amount such that the
- 15 balance of the loan does not exceed \$100,000. However, any personal loan balance in
- 16 excess of \$100,000 as a result of a personal loan made by the candidate prior to
- 17 January 1, 2001, shall not result in a violation of the Act.]
- **Decision 2, Option a** [(b) The \$100,000 personal loan balance specified by
- 19 <u>subdivision</u> (b) of Government Code section 85307 as a candidate's personal loan limit
- 20 applies to the aggregate amount of all personal loans made by the candidate to his or
- 21 her controlled committee formed for the purpose of seeking an elective state office,
- 22 including the primary election and the general election for the same office.]
- 23 **{Decision 2, Option b}**[(b) The \$100,000 personal loan balance specified by
- 24 subdivision (b) of Government Code section 85307 as a candidate's personal loan limit
- 25 applies to a candidate's campaign on a "per election" basis, which is renewed with each

1 new election.]

- 2 (c) The proceeds of a loan made to a candidate by a commercial lending institution for
- 3 which the candidate is personally liable, pursuant to the terms of subdivision (a) of Government
- 4 Code section 85307, which the candidate then lends to his or her campaign {Decision 3,
- 5 option a/option b}[does/does not] count toward the \$100,000 personal loan limit imposed by
- 6 subdivision (b) of Government Code section 85307.
- 7 (d) A candidate may make a series of personal loans to his or her controlled committee
- 8 as long as the outstanding balance does not exceed \$100,000 at the time of making the loans. If
- 9 a candidate's personal loan balance has reached the \$100,000 limit, the loan balance must be
- 10 reduced before the candidate may make any additional loans to his or her controlled committee.
- 11 Note: Authority: Section 83112, Gov. Code
- 12 Reference: Section 85307 Gov. Code
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